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Dear Lenny:

Please express my appreciation for a job well done to each Air Force participant in the recently completed Future SIGINT Capabilities Study (FSCS). This is in recognition of their contribution to our understanding of future intelligence needs. The FSCS will provide a valuable guideline for an investment strategy that will help ensure that the United States SIGINT System will remain viable through the year 2000. It will also impact on the production of intelligence information for national decisionmakers and military commanders. Those AF persons named in the enclosed listing may well be proud of their contribution to this Herculean effort.

While it is somewhat unfair to single out individuals for special recognition when so many made significant contributions to specific sections, I wish to cite Brigadier General Paul Martin, and Lieutenant Colonel Michael McFarland for their exceptional contribution to the entire Study.

Brigadier General Martin was the Air Force member of the Tiger Team. The Tiger Team represented and reported directly to the DCI and provided high-level guidance to the Study.

Lieutenant Colonel McFarland was the Air Force member to the Executive Panel. The Executive Panel was chaired by the Chairman, SIGINT Committee and provided overall guidance to the Study.

Please convey my personal commendation to these officers for their exceptional contributions.

Sincerely,

/s/ William J. Casey

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